1 PIPENT Ab0457R004200270009-1 Approved For Release 2001/03/1 CLASSIFICATION SECREP/CONTROL/US OFFICIALS ONLY _REPORT NO.__. COUNTRY Poland TOPIC LUBLIN Airfield 25X1A 25X1X EVALUATION_ PLACE OBTAINED_ 25X1C DATE OF CONTENT__ 25X1C DATE PREPARED 30 December 1949 DATE OBTAINED... REFERENCES_ PAGES _____ ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE)_ REMARKS__ RETURN TO CIA LIBRARY

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- 1. A large airfield with concrete runways but no hangars was on the eastern border of LUBLIN (5 52/R 18), along the road to CHELM.
- 2. Soviet soldiers trucked boxes to the airfield and piled them up there on 18 January 1949.
- 3. Soviet biplanes were stationed there.

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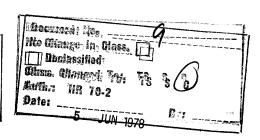
a. The location of the airfield agrees with the information in October 1947. The field is allegedly about 5,000 feet square and provided with two runways at right angles to each other. Contrary to this report four new three-story hangars were located on the northwest edge of the field.

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b. According to a press report of June 1949 a Polish officers' pilot school is presumably stationed there. No information has been received on the presence of a Soviet air force unit.

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